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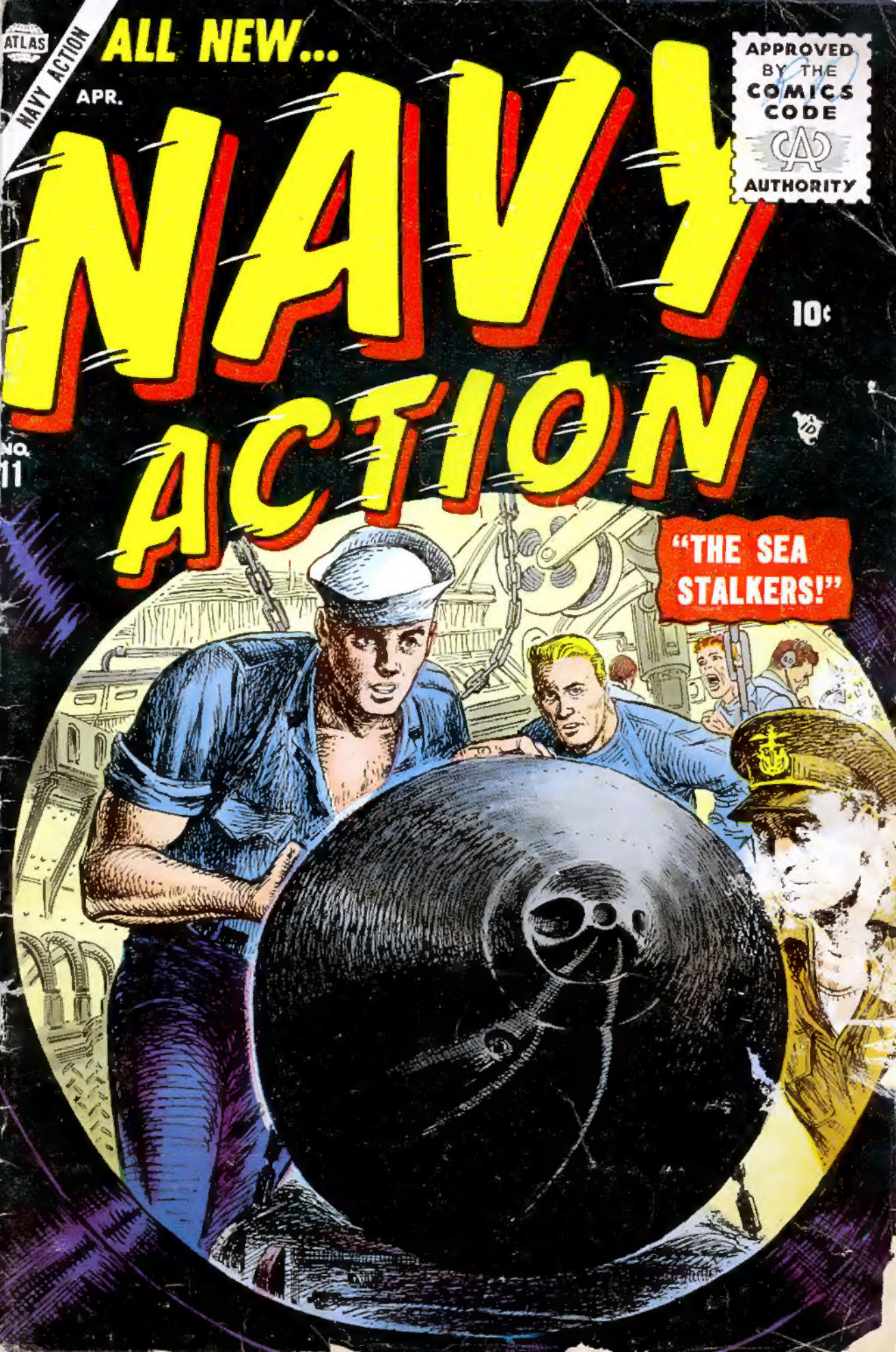

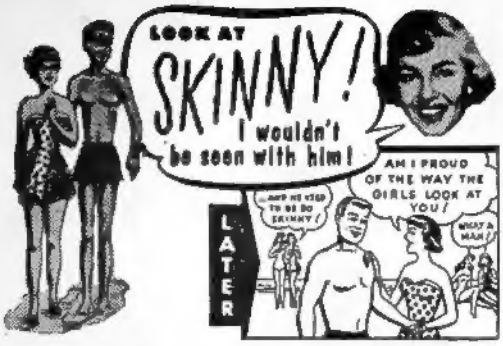

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JOIN THE NAVY CREW AND BE SHIPMATES IN BATTLE ADVENTURES WITH...

"BATTLESHIP" BURKE

CHIEF PETTY OFFICER, "BATTLESHIP" BURKE AND HIS MATE, SEAMAN FIRST-CLASS "SALTY" SMITH WERE UP ON DECK OF THEIR DESTROYER ANCHORED OFF INCHON IN KOREA ADMIRING THE SCENERY, WHEN THE SQUAWK BOX PIPED GENERAL QUARTERS..

BATTLE STATIONS! OUR RADAR HAS PICKED UP AN UNIDENTIFIED PLANE APPROACHING!

IT'S NOT UNIDENTIFIED ANY LONGER, SALTY! IT'S A NEW TYPE OF RED JET!

HE'S GONNA LAY AN "EGG"!

BURKE CPO

"TWO SAILORS AGAINST A SUB!"

I'M GOING TO EMBROIDER MY INITIALS AND RANK ON THAT BABY!
DO IT HUBBA-HUBBA! HERE COMES THE BOOM-EGG!
"BATTLESHIP" BURKE'S GUNS KEPT ON COUGHING AS THEY FOLLOWED THE COMMIE PLANE...
DROP! YOU'VE GOT ENOUGH LEAD IN YOU TO SINK!
HIS BOMB WENT WILD! IT MISSED OUR SHIP!
AYE, SALTY! AND I MISSED WITH EVERY SHOT! I BETTER GO BELOW DECK TO SICK BAY AND GET MY PEEPERS EXAMINED!
YOU DIDN'T MISS HIM, BATTLESHIP! LOOK! HE'S BLOWING UP OUT THERE!
WHAT KIND OF A COMMIE JET WAS THAT, MISTER MILLER?
I DON'T KNOW, BATTLESHIP! IT'S A NEW MODEL THE REDS HAVE PUT OUT!
AND THE CAPTAIN WANTS TO KNOW MORE ABOUT IT!
TOO LATE NOW, SIR! THAT PLANE'S DOWN AT THE BOTTOM OF THE BAY!
THE CAPTAIN WANTS TO SALVAGE IT. AFTER YOU AND SALTY SKIN-DIVE TO LOCATE ITS POSITION!
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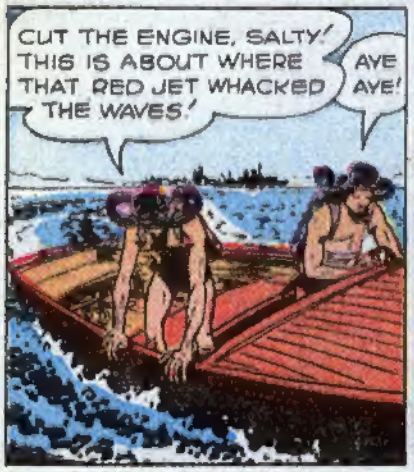
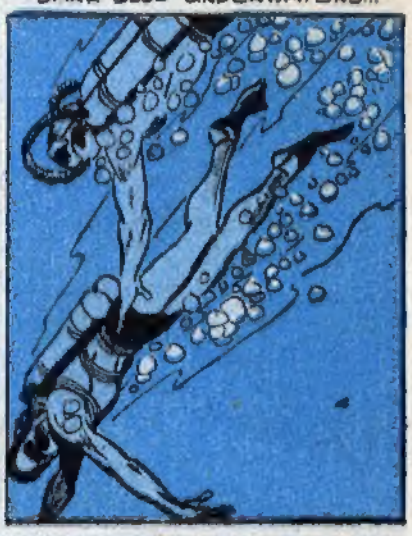
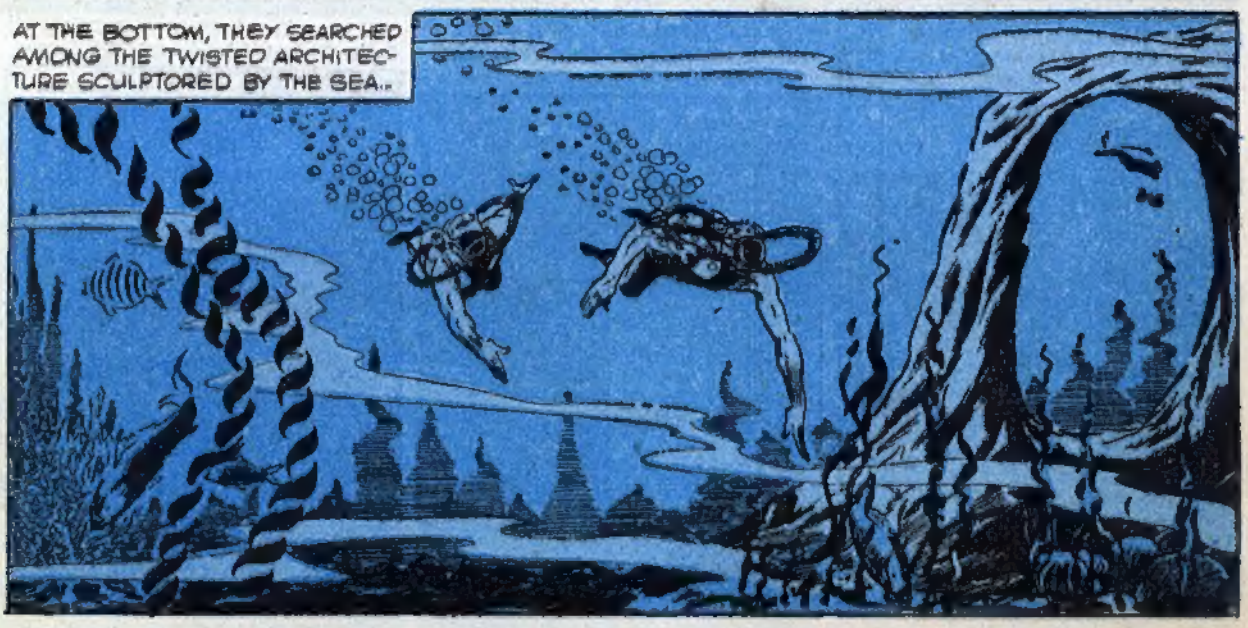
AN HOUR LATER, THE TWO GOBS WERE ON THEIR WAY TO THE SPOT WITH LUNGS ON THEIR BACKS AND RUBBER FLIPPERS ON THEIR FEET...



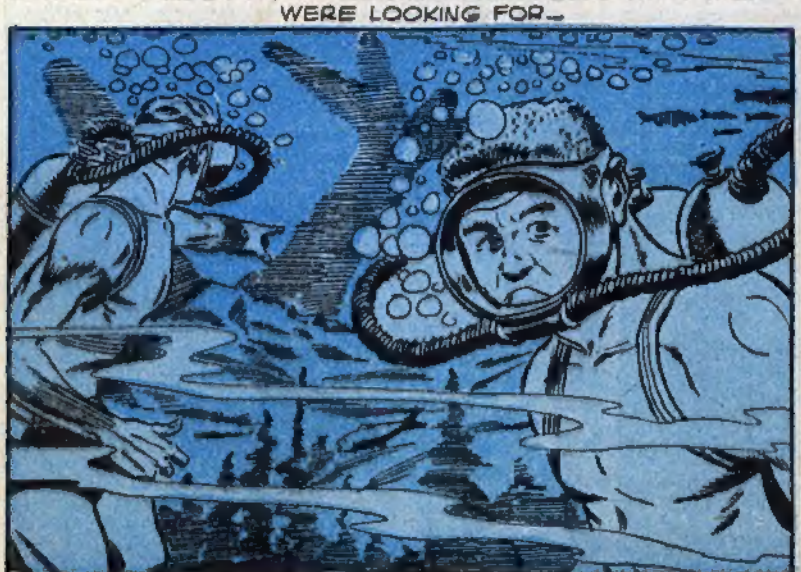
LIKE TWO HUMAN FISH, BATTLESHIP AND SALTY SLID THRU THE DARK BLUE UNDERWATERS...



AT THE BOTTOM, THEY SEARCHED AMONG THE TWISTED ARCHITECTURE SCULPTORED BY THE SEA..

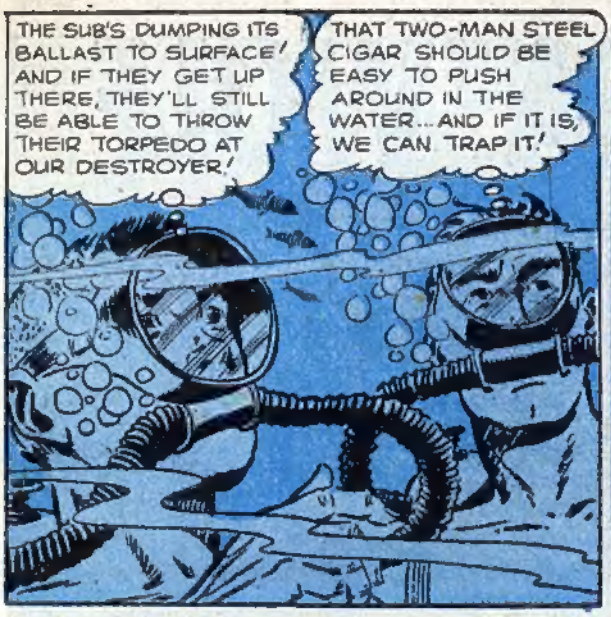


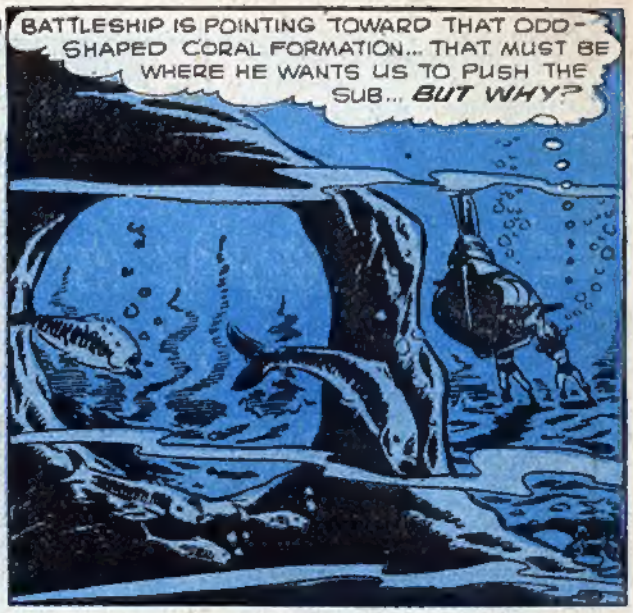
A SHORT TIME LATER, BATTLESHIP BURKE FOUND WHAT THEY WERE LOOKING FOR...



AND SALTY SMITH FOUND SOMETHING THEY WEREN'T LOOKING FOR..

A MIDGET COMMIE SUB!
IT'S HEADING IN THE DIRECTION WHERE OUR SHIP IS ANCHORED!
WE'VE GOT TO STOP IT... BUT HOW? MAYBE BATTLESHIP'S GOT AN IDEA... HE'S SIGNALLING ME TO HELP HIM WITH THAT BIG HUNK OF CORAL!
I GET THE IDEA! WITH THIS HUNK OF CORAL WE CAN FOUL UP THE SUB'S PROP!
TWO SAILORS AGAINST A SUB... THOSE WERE THE ODDS THERE AT THE BOTTOM OF THE BAY..
WE'LL WAIT RIGHT HERE UNTIL IT PASSES US!
SLOWLY THE ENEMY SUB CRAWLED THRU THE WATER PAST THE GOBS..
NOW!
THEY RAMMED THE HEAVY HUNK OF CORAL INTO THE SUB'S SPINNER AND THE PROP STOPPED SPINNING..
IT'S FOULED!
COMRADE CAPTAIN! A FISH OR SOMETHING MUST HAVE GOT CAUGHT IN OUR PROPELLER! IT HAS STOPPED!
IT DOES NOT MATTER, COMRADE! WE ARE CLOSE ENOUGH TO THE AMERICAN DESTROYER'S POSITION! WE WILL RELEASE OUR BALLAST AND RISE TO THE SURFACE TO SEND OUR TORPEDO INTO YANKEE SHIP!


THE SUB'S DUMPING ITS BALLAST TO SURFACE! AND IF THEY GET UP THERE, THEY'LL STILL BE ABLE TO THROW THEIR TORPEDO AT OUR DESTROYER!
THAT TWO-MAN STEEL CIGAR SHOULD BE EASY TO PUSH AROUND IN THE WATER... AND IF IT IS, WE CAN TRAP IT!



NOSE FIRST, THE RED SUB ENTERED THE HOLE IN THE CORAL...

BUT WHEN IT GOT HALFWAY THRU, ITS BIG BELLY WAS TOO BIG TO CONTINUE AND IT RAMMED TO A HALT...

OUR BALLAST TANK HAS BEEN EMPTIED, COMRADE CAPTAIN, BUT STILL WE DO NOT RISE! WE ARE TRAPPED BY SOMETHING!
THEN WE FORGET OUR MISSION AND GET OUT THRU THE ESCAPE HATCH!

THE TWO REDS BOBBED UP ON THE SURFACE A FEW MINUTES LATER...

BACK TO THE DESTROYER WENT BATTLESHIP AND SALTY WITH THEIR PRISONERS AND THE INFORMATION ABOUT THE WRECKED PLANE'S POSITION...

TWO SAILORS AGAINST A SUB... AND YOU WON! AND SAVED OUR DESTROYER! IT'S UNBELIEVABLE!
AYE, SIR! BUT NOT IMPOSSIBLE FOR TWO SAILORS OF THE UNITED STATES NAVY!
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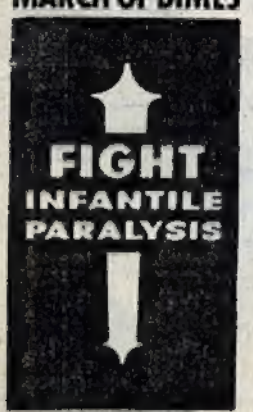

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SEA WOLF

FROM the slick, oily surface of the dark sea, a steel finger mounted slowly above the waters. With ponderous grace, like a giant whale breaking the surface, the submarine rose from the depths in a welter of foam as the powerful electric motors blew the last of the water ballast from the buoyancy tanks.

On the side of its conning tower was the ominous lettering, a yard high: U-142. The U-Boat rocked a few times and then came to rest, rising and falling with the long, even swell of the Atlantic.

A moment later, the hinged pressure plate in the conning tower opened and a dark head appeared . . . the head of a German sailor. He waited for the water in the tower to drain completely, then stepped to a capped hollow pipe beside the periscope housing. Leaning over, he unlocked the cover and flipped it back. With a smooth clicking of metal, the U-Boat's radio mast telescoped upward thirty feet in the air. Then the sailor stepped back, saluting, as from deep within the submarine sounded the clack of the wireless key. Simultaneously two other men climbed out of the pressure plate valve. They were the sub commander and the first mate. They stretched luxuriously, like men who had been cramped up for many days and nights.

The commander, a short, bearded man, frowned. "A long trip, underwater, Graeden. Well, we have reached our destination." He took some bearings. "Yes, we are where we were supposed to go . . . a few miles off, it does not matter." He pointed to the northeast. "New York City . . . a hundred miles away, the main terminus of their supply routes." Again he pointed. "Over there, the Jersey coast."

"Yes, Herr Captain," the mate said.

Captain von Brun's hands clenched and unclenched.

"Soon we shall see action!" he said. "Much action. What is war if there is no action, if we cannot be daring and win it?"

"Daring is always dangerous," Graeden said, simply.

"You are a milksop, Graeden," von Brun said, frowning once more and glancing at the radio tower. "We only can win if we *are* daring. Even now we are hampered somewhat by these stupid rules of war. However, Berlin will change all that."

"Daring is a two-edged weapon, Captain," the mate said wearily. "It is easy, as the Americans say, to dish it out. But what about . . . taking it?"

"Ha! We will avoid that by being daring and winning! Ah, at last a reply from Berlin!" Von Brun leaned forward as a hand poked up through the pressure valve, bearing a typewritten sheet. He seized it, read it quickly.

"Listen!" he spoke loudly. "It is decoded: 'You will proceed to sink all shipping utterly without a trace . . . refuel from tankers before sinking them'."

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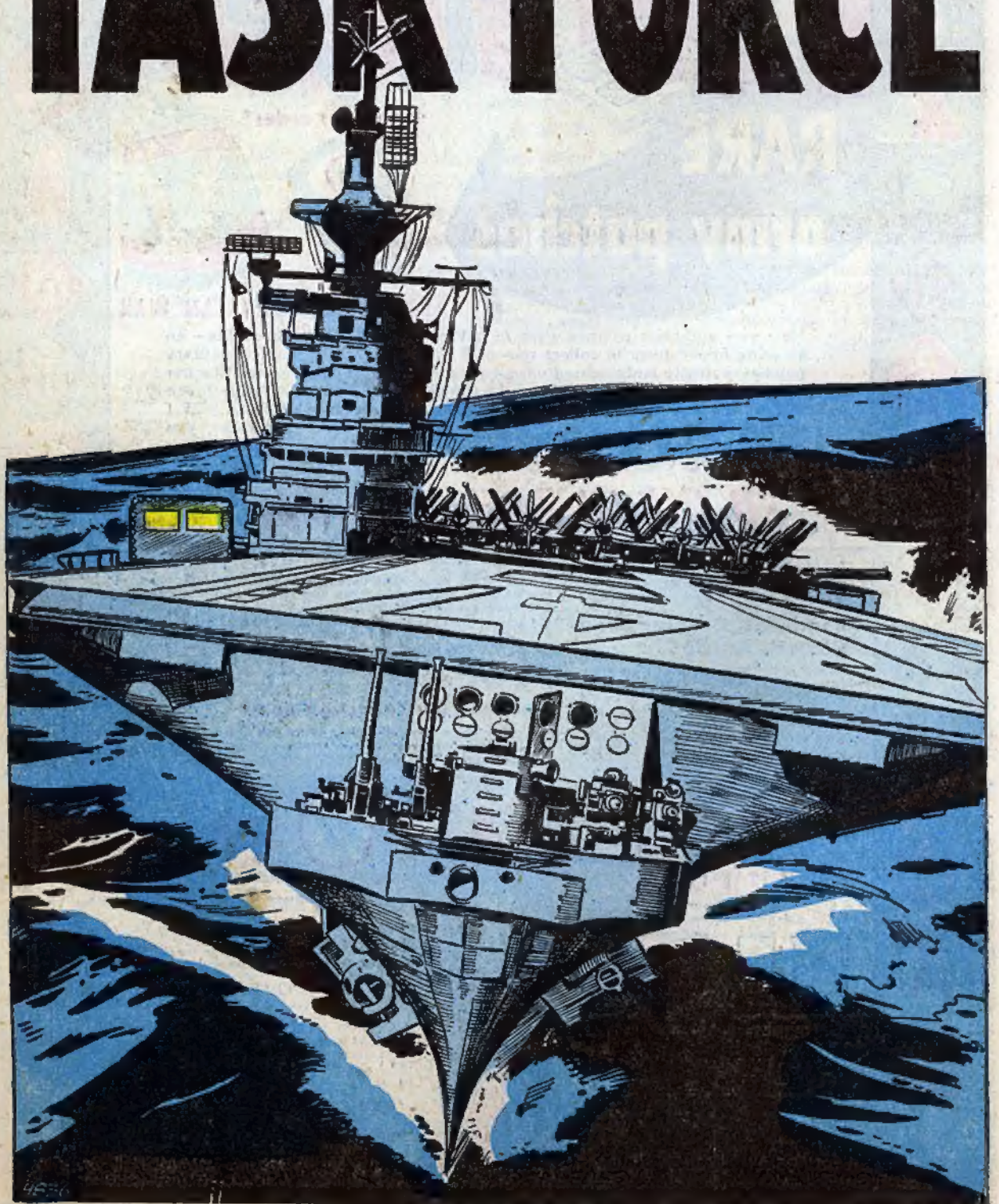
TASK FORCE



IN THE READY-ROOM, THE PILOTS SAW THEIR TARGETS SKETCHED OUT! IT WAS STILL BLACK OUTSIDE...

FOUR STRIKES... FOUR TARGETS! THE TARGETS ARE THE AIRFIELDS AT TSUIKI, OITA, USA AND SAEKI!

MEANWHILE, IN THE GREAT HANGARS BENEATH THE FLIGHT DECKS, THE **TBM'S** AND FIGHTERS WERE READIED...

THE DECK HUMMED WITH ACTIVITY IN THE DARKNESS! RED AND GREEN SIGNAL LIGHTS, PLANES LINED WING-TIP TO WING-TIP!

A FAINT TRACE OF DAWN LIT THE DECK AS THE AIR OFFICER BELLOWED THRU HIS MIKE...

PREPARE TO START ENGINES! STAND CLEAR OF PROPELLERS! START ENGINES!

THE STARTER CARTRIDGES HISSED AND EXPLODED AND THE ENGINES RESPONDED LIKE ROARING GIANTS...

ONE BY ONE, THE PLANES CAREENED OFF THE FLIGHT DECK AND SWUNG FOR THE CLOUDS...

THE STRIKE WAS LAUNCHED, BUT A FEW MINUTES LATER, AT 0545, A FLARE DAZZLED THE GLOOM OF DAWN!

FLARE SIGNAL... TWO MILES OFF PORT BEAM!

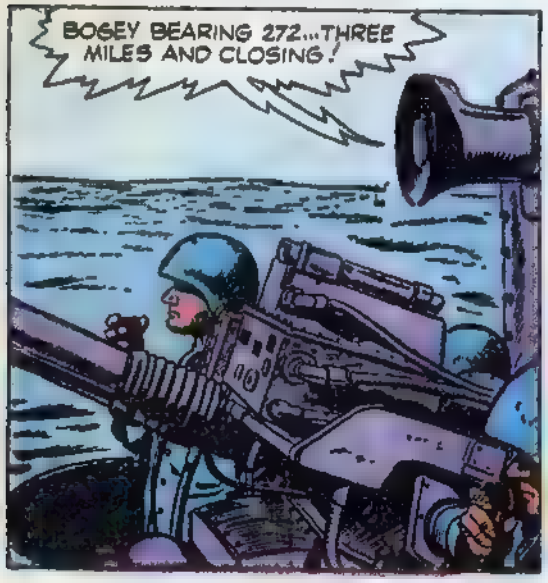
WARNING BELLS CLANGED THRU-OUT THE FIGHTING HULL OF THE GREAT CARRIER...

GENERAL QUARTERS! MAN YOUR BATTLE STATIONS!

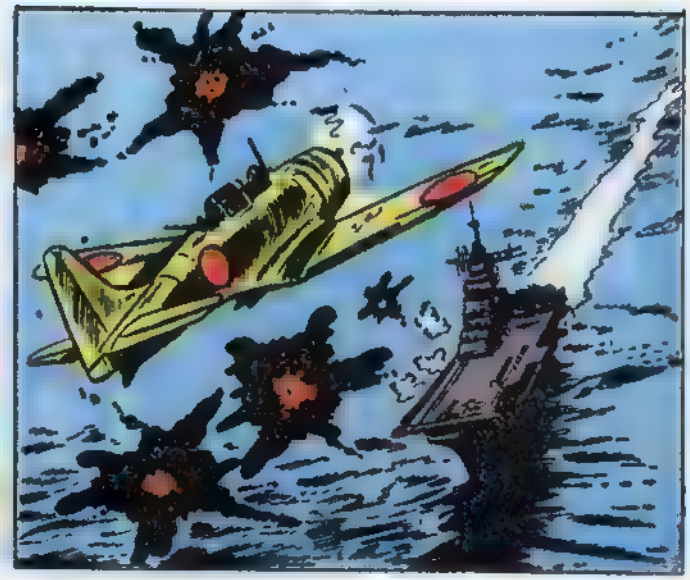
THE ENEMY PLANE WAS SPOTTED BY THE U.S. DESTROYER HAILEY... TOO LATE TO TAKE IT UNDER FIRE...

MARK ONE FRANCES... HEADING TOWARD THE TASK FORCE! NOTIFY ALL UNITS AT ONCE!

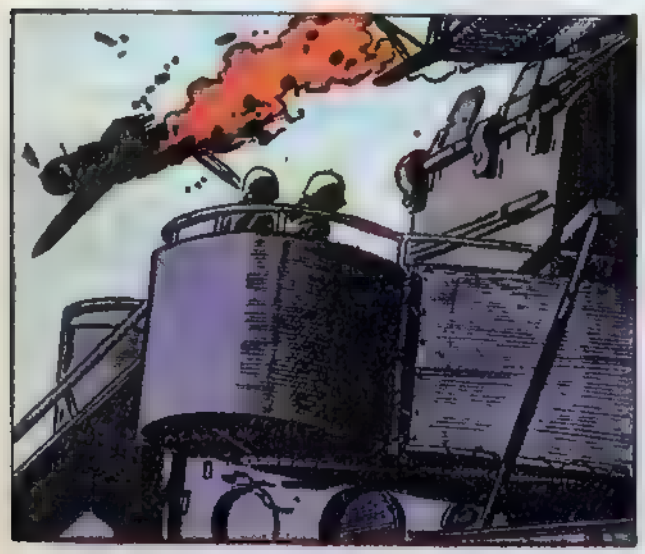
MOMENTS LATER, FLAG PLOT ALERTED THE YORKTOWN'S GUNNERS...



THE DECK SHUDDERED AS THE AA'S TOOK THE ENEMY UNDER FIRE...



FOR AN INSTANT, IT APPEARED AS THOUGH THE PLANE WOULD HIT THE CARRIER, AND SUDDENLY IT TREMBLED VIOLENTLY IN MID-AIR...

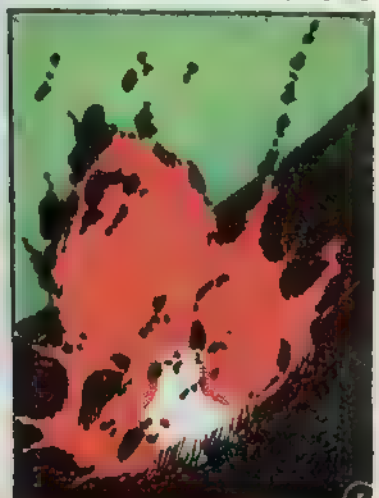


MEANWHILE, TSUIKI AIRFIELD, ON THE NORTHEAST COAST OF KYUSHU, SAW DISASTER LOOMING...

BUT IT WAS TOO LATE! THE YANK STRIKING FORCE WAS ALREADY CUTTING THE FIELD...

ONE JAP BATTERY MANAGED TO FIRE ITS GUNS, BUT NOT FOR LONG.

THE AIR BASE OF SAEKI WAS POUNCED IN SIMILAR FASHION.

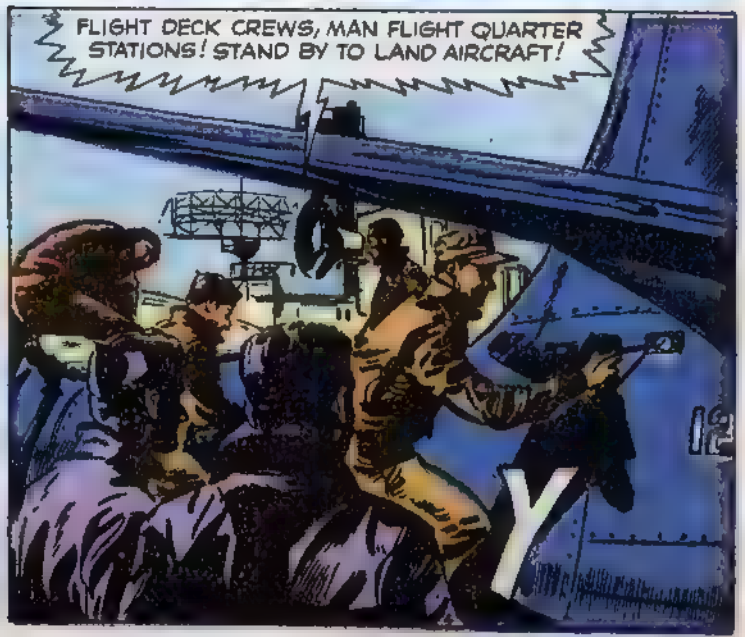


IN UTTER DESPERATION, THE JAP COMMANDS SOUGHT VENGEANCE...

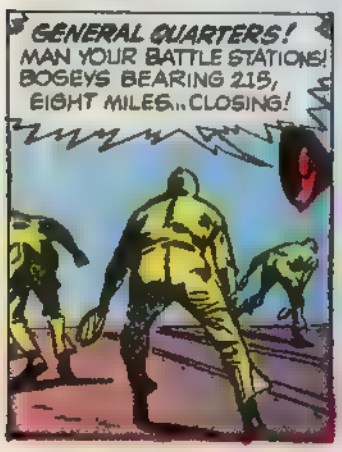
OUR BASES ON KYUSHU HAVE BEEN WIPED OUT! IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT ALL DIVINE WIND SQUADRONS ATTACK THE AMERICAN TASK FORCE AT ONCE!

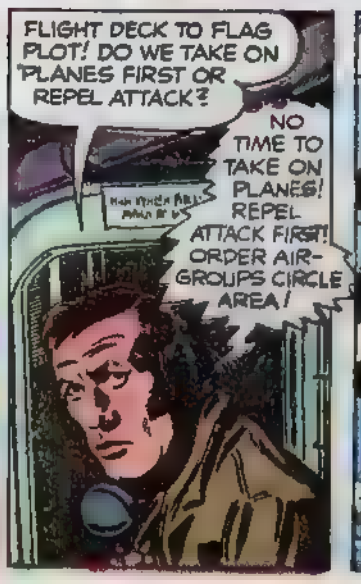
THE AMERICAN CARRIERS WILL PICK UP THEIR PLANES ABOUT HERE! OUR FORCE MUST STRIKE THEM BEFORE, OR WHILE THEY ARE TAKING ON THE PLANES!

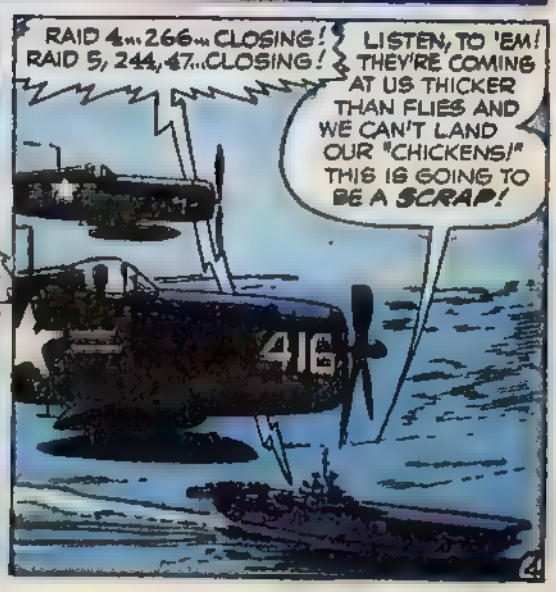
MEANWHILE, THE RETURNING STRIKE FORCE CIRCLED THE CARRIER, WAITING FOR LANDING SIGNALS...



SUDDENLY, ALARMS CLANGED ALL OVER THE SHIP AS SHE BECAME A VULNERABLE TARGET, UNABLE TO FIGHT WHILE TAKING ON HER PLANES.




FLIGHT DECK TO FLAG PLOT! DO WE TAKE ON 'PLANES FIRST OR REPEL ATTACK?
NO TIME TO TAKE ON PLANES! REPEL ATTACK FIRST! ORDER AIR-GROUPS CIRCLE AREA!


RAID 4... 266... CLOSING! RAID 5, 244, 47... CLOSING!
LISTEN, TO 'EM! THEY'RE COMING AT US THICKER THAN FLIES AND WE CAN'T LAND OUR "CHICKENS!" THIS IS GOING TO BE A SCRAP!
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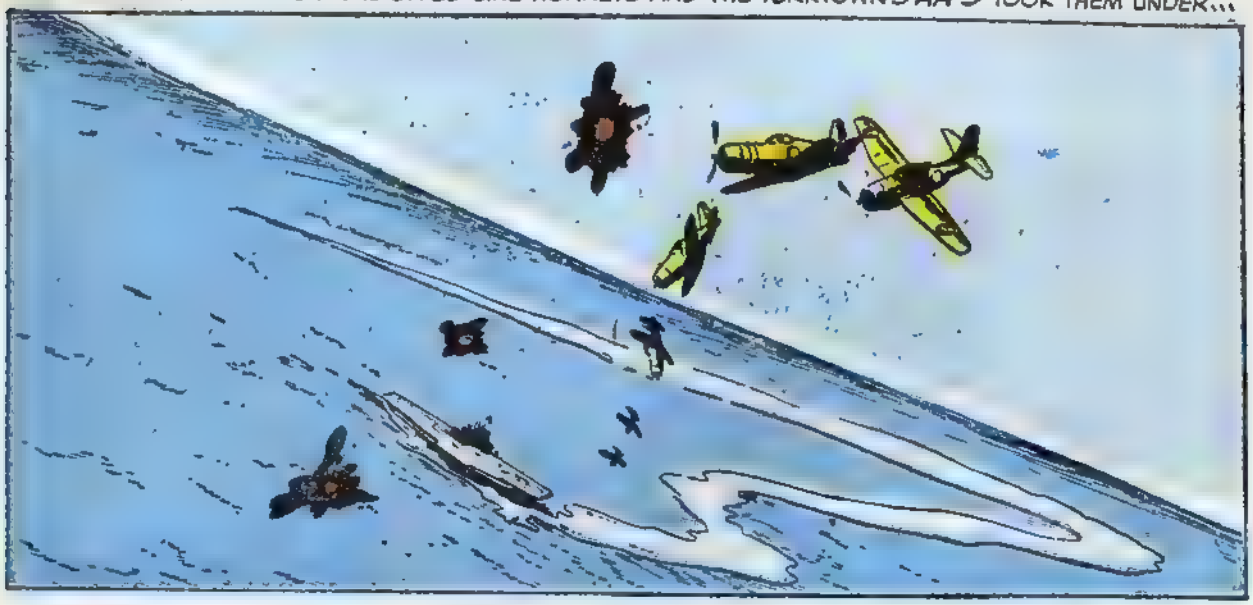
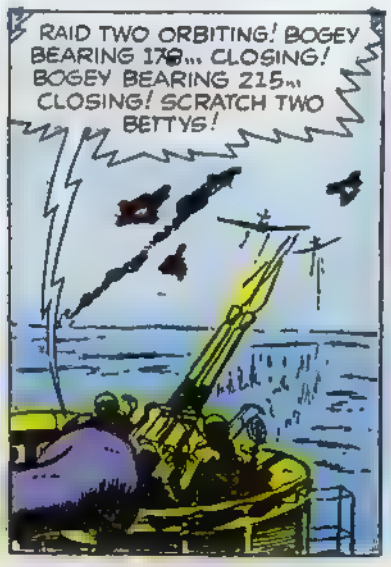
THEY DARTED DOWN FROM THE SKIES LIKE HORNETS AND THE YORKTOWN'S **AA'S** TOOK THEM UNDER...



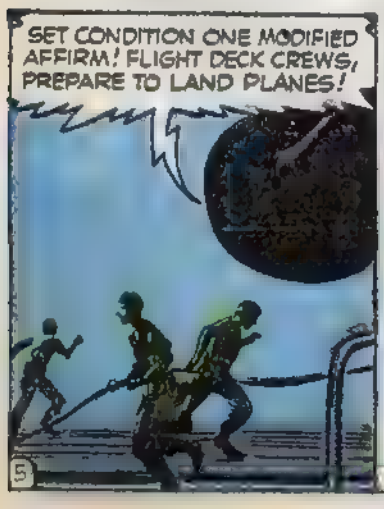
WITH THEIR GAS TANKS ALL BUT EMPTY, THE RETURNING AIR GROUPS WHEELED TO MEET THE ENEMY WHO THREATENED THEIR SHIP...

NOW THE FIVE-INCHERS ON THE YORKTOWN RATTLED AND ROARED IN UNISON...



THE SKY BECAME A SEA OF SMOKE, DARTING PLANES, STREAKING TRACERS! THUS FAR, THE **YORKTOWN** FOUGHT OFF ALL ATTACKS...

IT LASTED TEN MINUTES AND THEN THE ALL-CLEAR BLASTED OFF...



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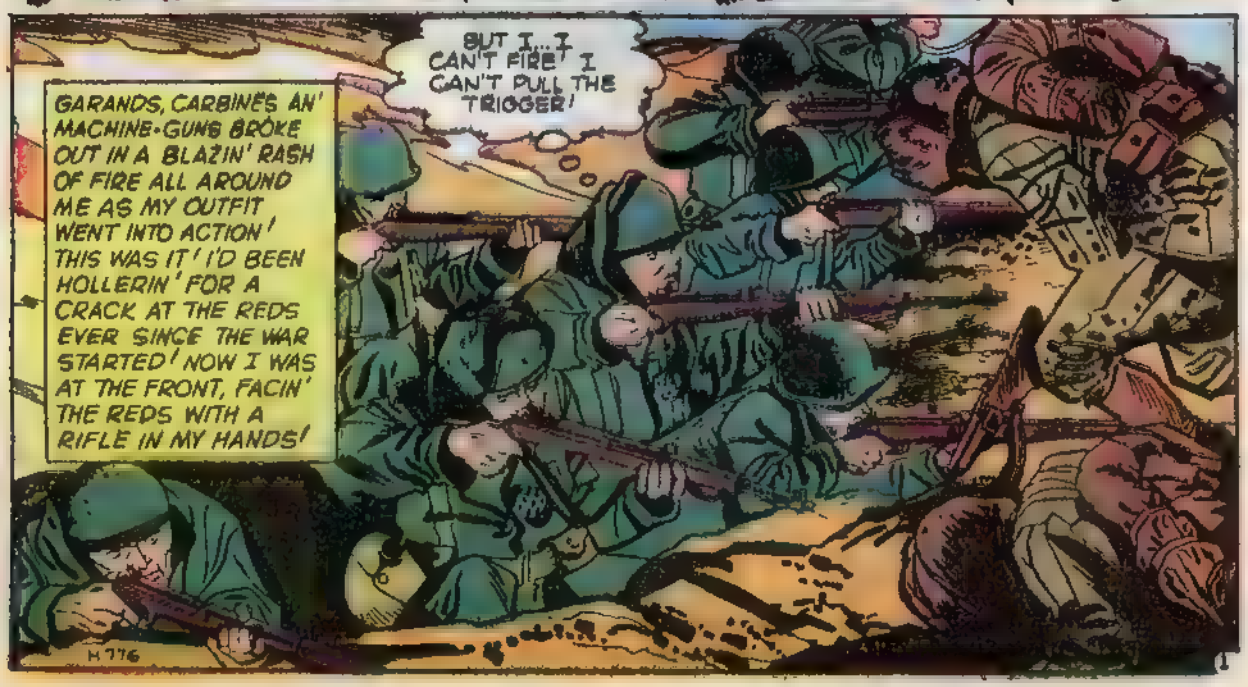
I WAS A GYRENE IN KOREA! MY OUTFIT WAS DOG COMPANY, 2ND BATTALLION, SEVENTH MARINES! I'D NEVER FIRED A RIFLE IN COMBAT BEFORE, AND TWO SECONDS AFTER I REACHED THE MLR AS A REPLACEMENT, OUR COMPANY WAS SMACKED BY A RED BANZAI...

SECOND CHANCE for PRIVATE RUARK!


GARANDS, CARBINES AN' MACHINE-GUNS BROKE OUT IN A BLAZIN' RASH OF FIRE ALL AROUND ME AS MY OUTFIT WENT INTO ACTION! THIS WAS IT! I'D BEEN HOLLERIN' FOR A CRACK AT THE REDS EVER SINCE THE WAR STARTED! NOW I WAS AT THE FRONT, FACIN' THE REDS WITH A RIFLE IN MY HANDS!
BUT I... I CAN'T FIRE! I CAN'T PULL THE TRIGGER!
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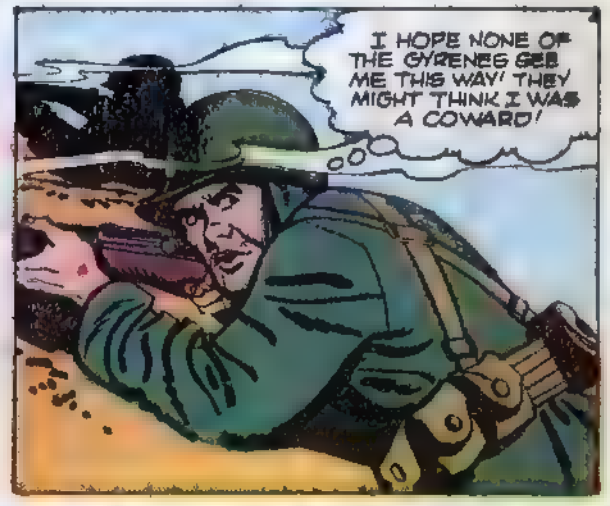
NOW I ***WASN'T*** SCARED! I WOULD'VE BUNNY-HOPPED OUT OF THAT PLACE IF THAT HAD BEEN THE SCOOP..

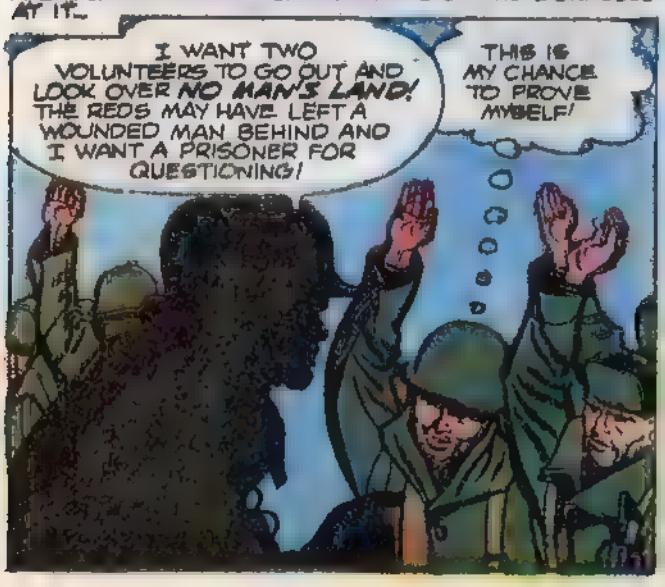
MARINES ALL AROUND ME WERE SHOOTIN' AWAY AN' FEEDIN' CLIPS INTO THEIR RIFLES.. BUT NOT ME! I TRIED BUT I COULDN'T! IT SEEMED AS IF MY TRIGGER FINGER HAD TURNED INTO A HUNK OF ICE..



THE RED BANZAI DIDN'T LAST LONG..

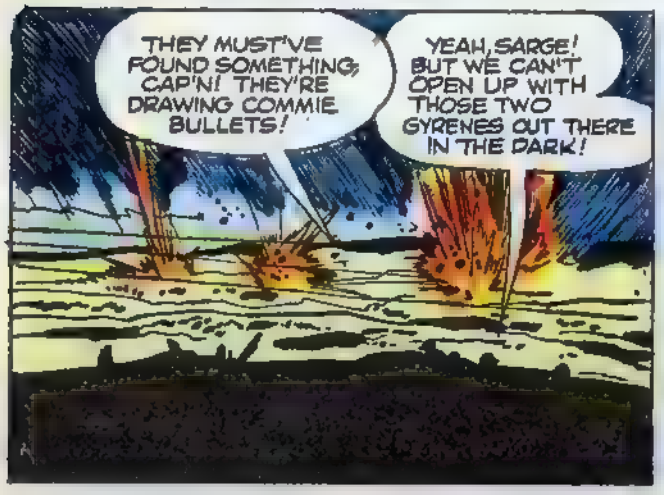
BUT IT WASN'T OKAY! I WAS ASHAMED OF MYSELF! ALL THE REST OF THE GUYS HAD DONE THEIR SHARE DURING THAT BANZAI!

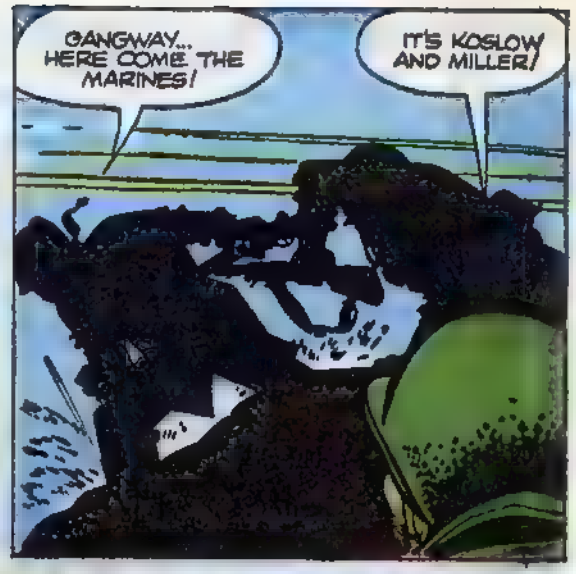
A LITTLE LATER THAT CHANCE CAME UP AND I GRABBED AT IT..


I WANT TWO VOLUNTEERS TO GO OUT AND LOOK OVER ***NO MAN'S LAND!*** THE REDS MAY HAVE LEFT A WOUNDED MAN BEHIND AND I WANT A PRISONER FOR QUESTIONING!
THIS IS MY CHANCE TO PROVE MYSELF!

OKAY! YOU, KOSLOW... AND YOU, MILLER!
I WAS RIGHT IN FRONT AND HE DIDN'T PICK ME! HE DOESN'T TRUST ME! HE MUST'VE SEEN ME DURING THE ATTACK!

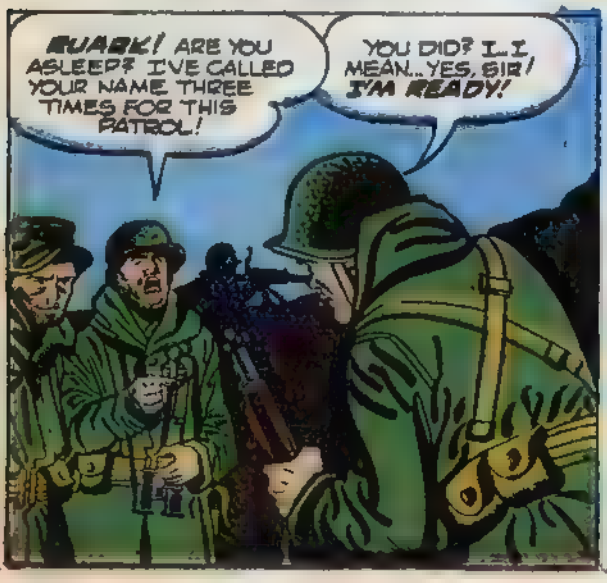
TWENTY MINUTES AFTER THE TWO GYRENES HAD BELLIED OUT, WE HEARD RED M.G. FIRE OUT IN *NO MAN'S LAND*...


THEY MUST'VE FOUND SOMETHING, CAP'N! THEY'RE DRAWING COMMIE BULLETS!
YEAH, SARGE! BUT WE CAN'T OPEN UP WITH THOSE TWO GYRENES OUT THERE IN THE DARK!



WE SPOTTED A WOUNDED RED OUT THERE, CAP'N! BUT A FIVE-MAN COMMIE-PATROL WAS HEADIN' FOR HIM, TOO, AND THEY OPENED UP!
THEN WE'LL FIGHT IT OUT WITH THEM FOR THAT MAN OUT THERE! I'LL SEND A FIVE-MAN PATROL ON THE HUBBA-HUBBA!

I WAS SURE HE WASN'T GOING TO CALL ME FOR THAT FIRE-FIGHT MISSION...



BEFORE WE STARTED OUT, THE CAP'N TOLD US THAT WE WERE A TEAM, AND THAT EVERY MAN HAD TO DO HIS SHARE AND THAT EVERY RIFLE COUNTED OUT THERE!

HE'S SENDIN' ME... SO HE COULDN'T HAVE SEEN THE WAY I ACTED DURING THAT BANZAI!
THIS IS THE SECOND CHANCE YOU'D ASKED FOR RUARK! GOOD LUCK!
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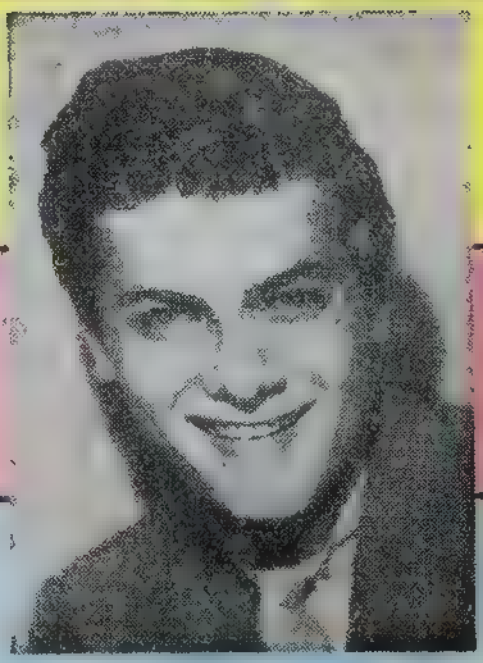

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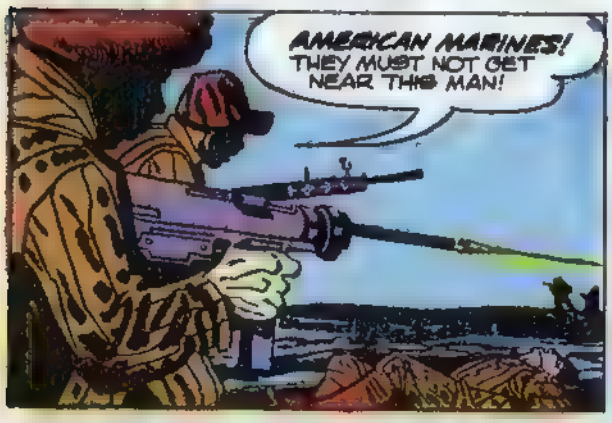
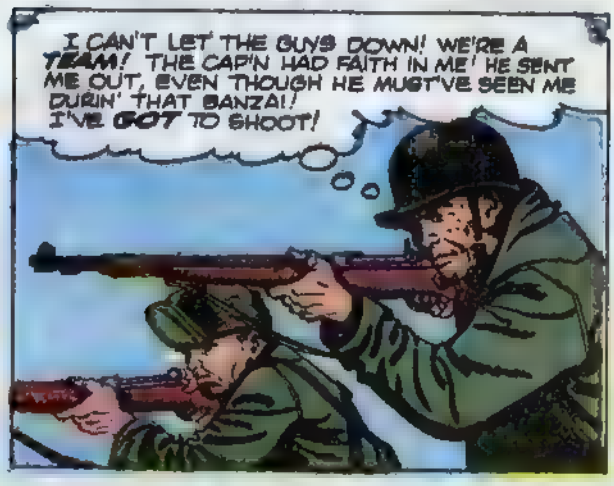
I DIDN'T HAVE TIME TO FIGURE OUT HOW THE CAP'N KNEW THAT. I'D ASKED MYSELF FOR A SECOND CHANCE, 'CAUSE AS SOON AS WE SPOTTED THE WOUNDED RED, HIS COMRADES WERE THERE, TOO, WITH THEIR GUNS FLASHING...



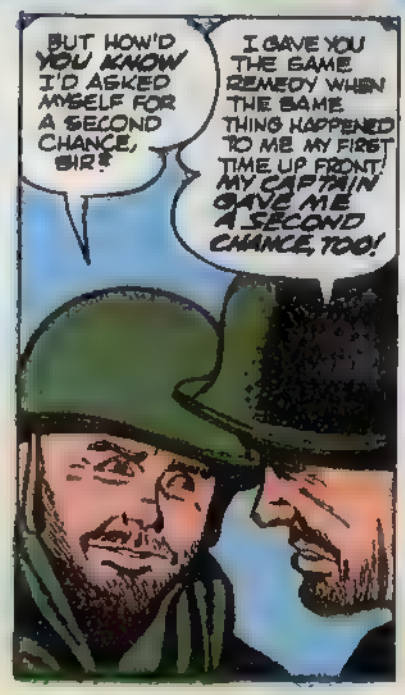
WE MOVED IN! EVERY RIFLE IN OUR PATROL WAS IN ACTION...*EVERY RIFLE EXCEPT MINE!*


I CAN'T LET THE GUYS DOWN! WE'RE A *TEAM!* THE CAP'N HAD FAITH IN ME! HE SENT ME OUT, EVEN THOUGH HE MUST'VE SEEN ME DURIN' THAT BANZAI! I'VE *GOT* TO SHOOT!

AND THAT'S WHEN I FELT THE GARAND JERK IN MY HANDS...

YEAH, I FIRED IT AGAIN AND AGAIN TO GET THE FEEL! THEN I STARTED USING CLIPS AND SHOTS FOR KEEPS!

FIFTEEN MINUTES LATER WE WERE ALL BACK IN OUR LINES WITH THE PRISONER...


BUT HOW'D *YOU KNOW* I'D ASKED MYSELF FOR A SECOND CHANCE, SIR?
I GAVE YOU THE SAME REMEDY WHEN THE SAME THING HAPPENED TO ME MY FIRST TIME UP FRONT! *MY CAPTAIN GAVE ME A SECOND CHANCE, TOO!*

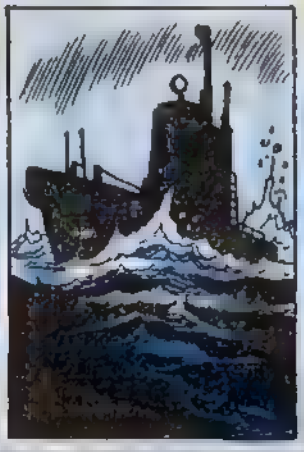
THE GREATEST THREAT TO ALLIED VICTORY IN ***WORLD WAR II***, WERE THE NAZI SUBMARINES! THEY PROWLED THE UNDERWATERS OF THE GREAT OCEAN IN WOLF-PACKS AND EVEN SNEAKED AS FAR AS THE FLORIDA COAST TO SINK OUR MERCHANT SHIPS! THE BRAIN WHICH SPAWNED THOSE TACTICS WAS NAZI ADMIRAL ERICH VON VERNITZ'S...THE MASTER OF...

THE SEA STALKERS!

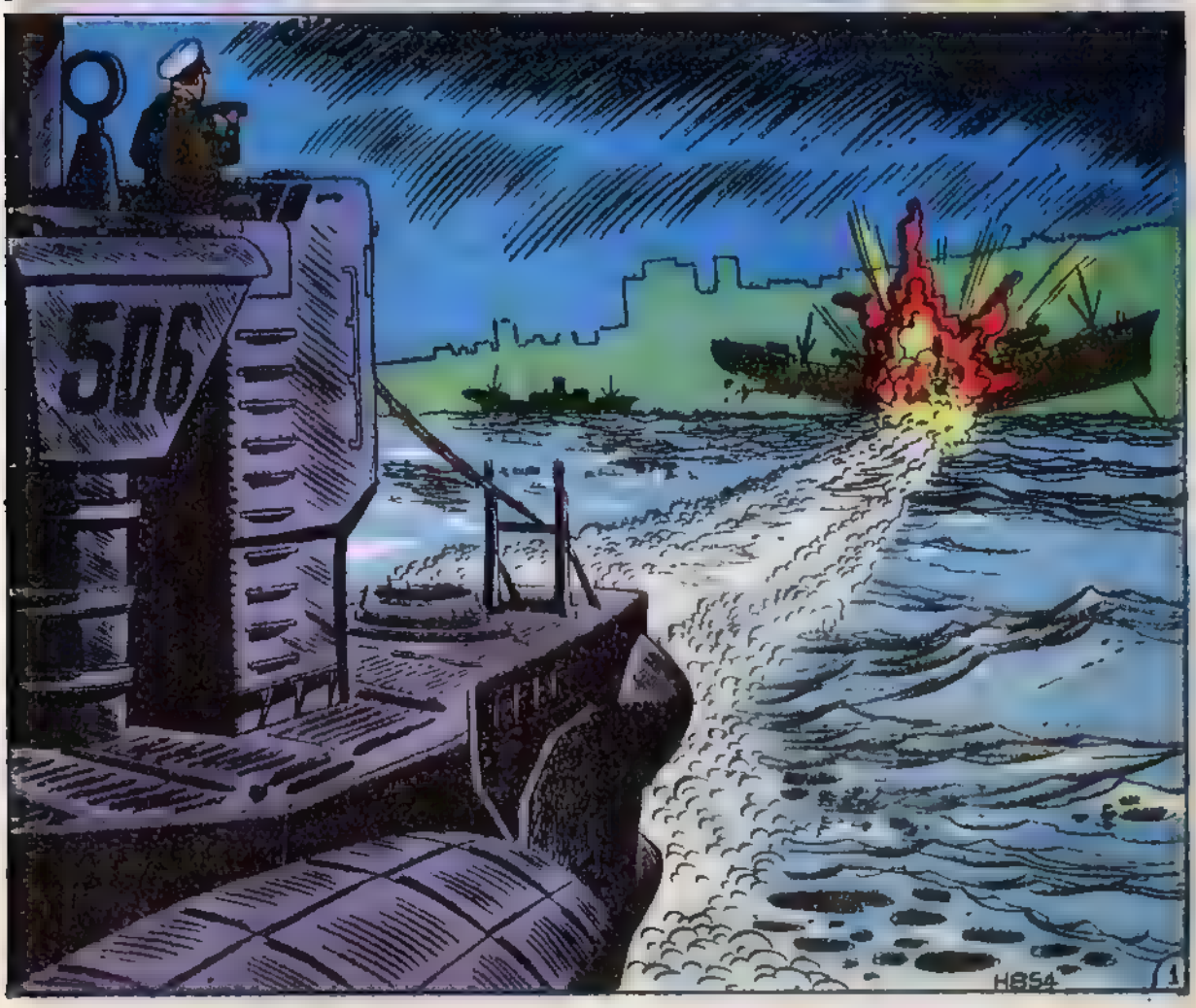
THE GLASSY WATERS OFF THE FLORIDA COAST BROKE NOISELESSLY AS A PERISCOPE BROKE THRU...

THE SUBMARINE'S EYE LOOKED AROUND UNTIL IT SPOTTED A MERCHANT SHIP AT ANCHOR...

THEN UP CAME THE BLACK HULL TO BRING THE SUB INTO FIRING POSITION...



THE CONNING TOWER OPENED..AND NAZI ADMIRAL VON VERNITZ SMILED AS HE SPOKE THE ORDERS...



YOU HAVE DONE IT AGAIN, MEIN ADMIRAL!

JA! NOW WE GO!

"PERISCOPE DOWN" WAS THE ORDER! AND AS SILENTLY AS IT CAME, THE NAZI SUBMARINE SNEAKED AWAY TO JOIN THE REST OF THE PACK WAITING OUT AT SEA...

FOR MONTHS, THE NAZI ***SEA STALKER*** STRUCK AND SLINKED AWAY! THE ALLIES WERE GREATLY CONCERNED! SUPPLIES AND TROOPS WERE URGENTLY NEEDED IN EUROPE, AND A GIANT CONVOY OF A HUNDRED SHIPS HAD LEFT THE UNITED STATES...

THAT CONVOY WILL ATTRACT EVERY NAZI SUB IN THE ATLANTIC INCLUDING ADMIRAL VON VERNITZ!

UNITED STATES NAVY CRUISERS, DESTROYERS AND SUBMARINES ARE ESCORTING THAT CONVOY, GENERAL! IT WILL GET THROUGH!

BUT THERE WILL BE ***OTHER*** CONVOYS, AND THEY'LL ALL BE IN DANGER AS LONG AS VON VERNITZ LEADS HIS WOLVES IN THE ATLANTIC!

THAT IS WHY I'VE ASSIGNED LT. COMMANDER DAN FOSTER, MY BEST SUB SKIPPER, TO FIND AND DESTROY ***U-BOAT 506***... VON VERNITZ'S SUB!

THE BIGGEST CONVOY TO EVER SAIL THE SEAS WASN'T TROUBLED BY THE ENEMY FOR THE FIRST TWO DAYS OUT...

BUT ON THE THIRD DAY, THE PERISCOPE OF NAZI U-BOAT 506 PANNED THE LONG CONVOY...

ALL SUBMARINES UNDER MY COMMAND WILL ATTACK IN ONE HOUR! DO NOT LEAVE A SINGLE AMERICAN SHIP AFLOAT AFTER THE ATTACK!

FOR AN HOUR, AT A GREAT DISTANCE, THE NAZI WOLF-PACK FOLLOWED THE CONVOY! THE TICK OF VON VERNITZ'S WATCH SOUNDED LOUDER THAN THE DIESEL ENGINES...

AT LAST! TIME FOR THE ATTACK!

SQUAWK BOXES IN EVERY TORPEDO ROOM ON EVERY NAZI SUB, SHOUTED FIRING ORDERS...

FIRE ONE! FIRE TWO!

ALERT U.S. NAVY LOOKOUTS ON THE ESCORT CRUISERS AND DESTROYERS SPOTTED THE STEEL FISH...

TORPEDOES OFF STARBOARD!

BATTLE STATIONS!

OF ALL THE TORPEDOES, THE ENEMY SCORED ONLY ONE HIT...

DIVE! FAST! THE AMERICAN DESTROYERS ARE COMING! THEY'RE DROPPING DEPTH-CHARGES!

BUT THE SUBMARINES DIDN'T DIVE FAST ENOUGH, AND THE WOLF-PACK WAS CAUGHT IN A TRAP OF EXPLODING DEPTH-CHARGES...

MEIN ADMIRAL! OUR RADAR SCREEN DOES NOT SHOW ANY OF OUR OTHER FOUR SUBMARINES! THEY'VE ALL BEEN SUNK!

WE WILL ALLOW THE CONVOY TO PASS... UNTIL NIGHT! THEN WE WILL STALK THEM AND SINK THEIR SHIPS, ONE BY ONE!

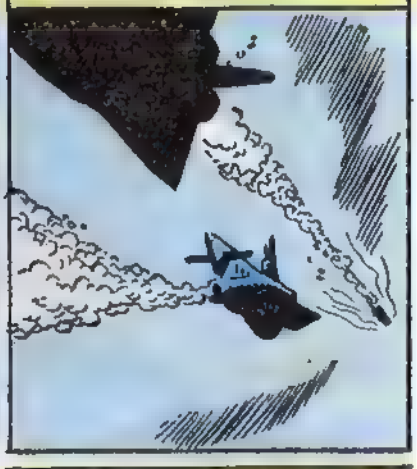
AFTER THE AMERICAN CONVOY HAD STEAMED AWAY, VON VERNITZ ORDERED HIS *U-BOAT* TO THE SURFACE, *WHERE* IT WAS EXPECTED...

COMMANDER FOSTER! YOU WERE *RIGHT* ABOUT REMAINING BEHIND IN HOPES OF A NAZI SUB SURFACING AFTER THE CONVOY LEFT! ONE JUST CAME UP! *U-BOAT 506!*

THAT'S VON VERNITZ! TORPEDO ROOM... STAND BY TO FIRE AS SOON AS WE SURFACE!

THE SEA DUEL BETWEEN THE NAZI AND AMERICAN SUBS BOILED THE OCEAN WATERS WITH EXPLODING TORPEDOES...

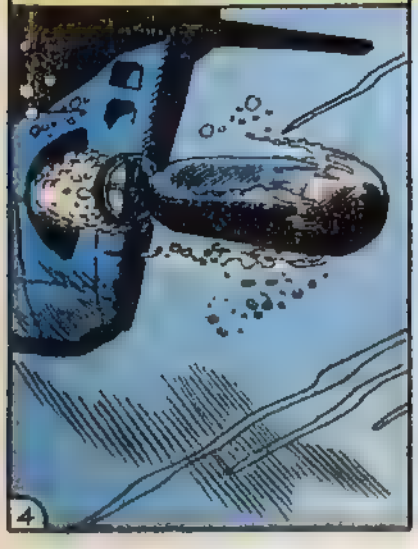
THE U.S. SUB FOLLOWED THE U-BOAT, AND UNDERWATER THE TWO SUBS EACH FIRED A TORPEDO AT THE NOISE OF THE OTHER'S RUNNING ENGINES...



THE UNDERWATER BATTLEFIELD BECAME SILENT AS THE NAZI SUB ALSO STOPPED ENGINES! SILENCE ...AS BOTH SUBS WAITED...

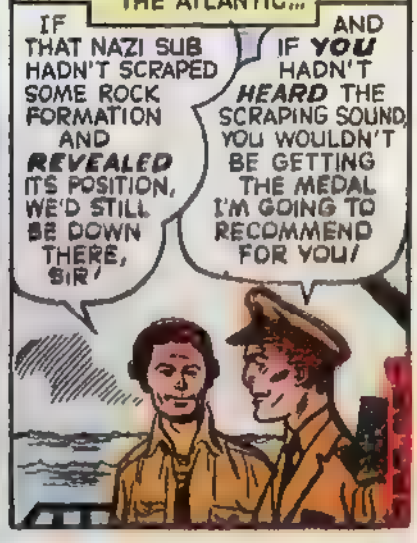
THEN SUDDENLY THE U.S. NAVY SOUND MASTER HEARD SOMETHING...

OUT OF THE 21-INCH TORPEDO TUBE SWOOSHED A "FISH" AT THE BETRAYING SOUND...



AND A FEW SECONDS LATER, 500 POUNDS OF T.N.T. PLOWED INTO ADMIRAL VON VERNITZ'S U-BOAT 506!

WITH THEIR LEADER GONE, THAT WAS THE BEGINNING OF THE END FOR THE NAZI SUB THREAT IN THE ATLANTIC...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He waved the sheet. "You see, Graeden, Berlin itself is now thinking as I do. Splendid! Have all insignia removed immediately. We start hunting for freighters and tankers within three hours!"

Three hours later, the U-boat, now operating on its diesels, slid forward, devoid of all markings, traveling southwest on the surface. She sighted nothing all day long. When night fell, all engines were stopped. Resting quietly, invisibly on the surface, all her crew alert or asleep in their bunks, she passed the night. At dawn, Graeden came forward hurriedly with a report. A ship had been picked up. Moments later, the U-boat began submerging, running with its periscope just above the water. The quarry came into sight ten miles further on. Von Brun grunted with satisfaction, stepping aside for Graeden who applied his eye to the periscope.

"A freighter," the commander said. "An old tub from the first World War, flying the American flag. They must be running short of ships to use such tubs!"

"It would pay to be careful," Graeden warned. "These Americans are capable of surprises!"

"It is only a single ship," von Brun jeered "What have we to be afraid of. A submarine is a match for anything. As for planes . . . they are not convoying with planes." He half-turned. "Ready on course! Prepare torpedoes 7 and 12!"

The control room sprang into a hive of activity suddenly. Now, in the cross hairs of the periscope, the freighter stood out clearly, old and rusty. The U-boat's nose swung a few degrees.

"Fire!" Von Brun commanded. There was a hiss as torpedo 12 left its cradle. Again: "Fire!" Torpedo 7 sped on its way. Then: "A hit!" von Brun exulted. He stepped away, Graeden taking his place. The mate saw the freighter exploding with the second torpedo. It began sinking slowly by the bow.

"Surface!" Von Brun ordered.

The buoyancy tanks were blown and the U-boat rose under gray skies. Quickly the pressure plate was thrown back and the Captain, followed by Graeden and several sailors with photographic equipment emerged. Movie cameras began clicking, taking pictures of the sinking craft, to be shown later, in Berlin. Von Brun suddenly sprang to the side of the conning tower bridge, gazing upward. A faintly discernible buzz, from overhead increased quickly in volume, making all turn their eyes skyward. Von Brun cried. "Planes!"

But no planes appeared. Then Graeden cried, "Not planes . . . blimps! Three of them! That old freighter was a blind. No wonder it was stopped. They were testing new tactics . . . new blimp tactics to sink U-boats. And *we* are the first subject!"

Sailors were already jumping for the deck gun, but it was too late. Bracketed by depth-bombs falling from the blimps, the sub rocked to explosion after explosion. The gun slewed round, out of control as shocks blasted at the U-boat. Von Brun wrenched at the pressure plate, only to find it jammed open. He turned to Graeden. "Surrender . . . quickly!"

An instant later a white flag broke from the conning tower. The fire from the blimps ceased. But they kept circling, guarding.

"They will send surface ships for us," Von Brun said, bitterly.

Graeden smiled grimly. "At least," he said, "they have *not* been like *us*, Herr Captain. They have not sunk us without a trace!"

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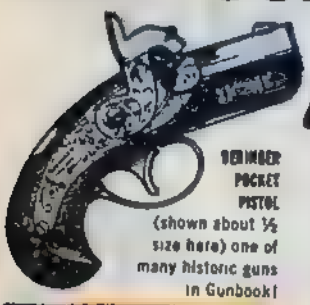

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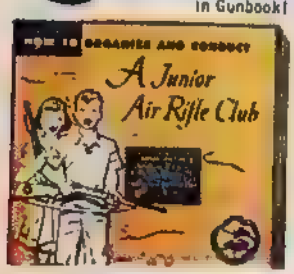

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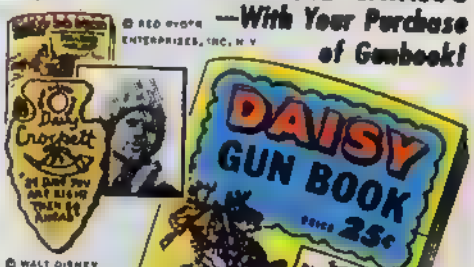

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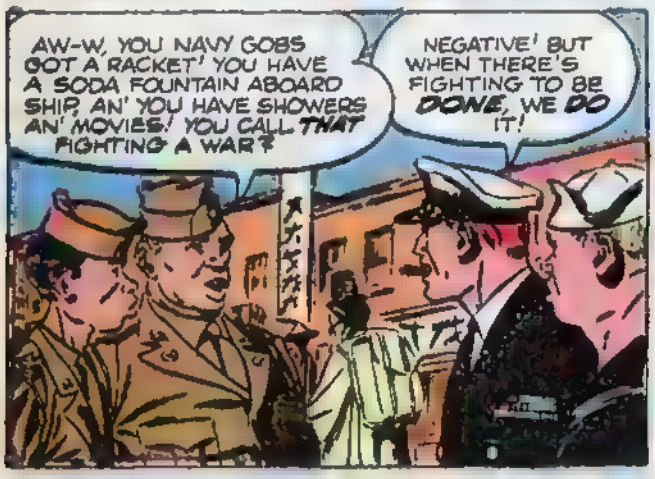
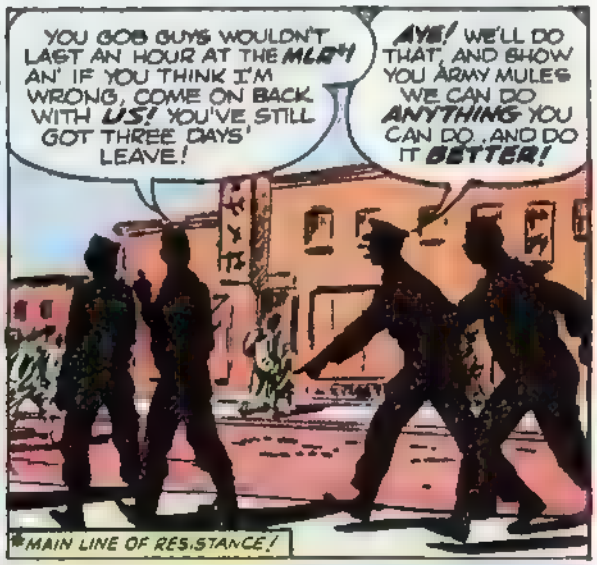
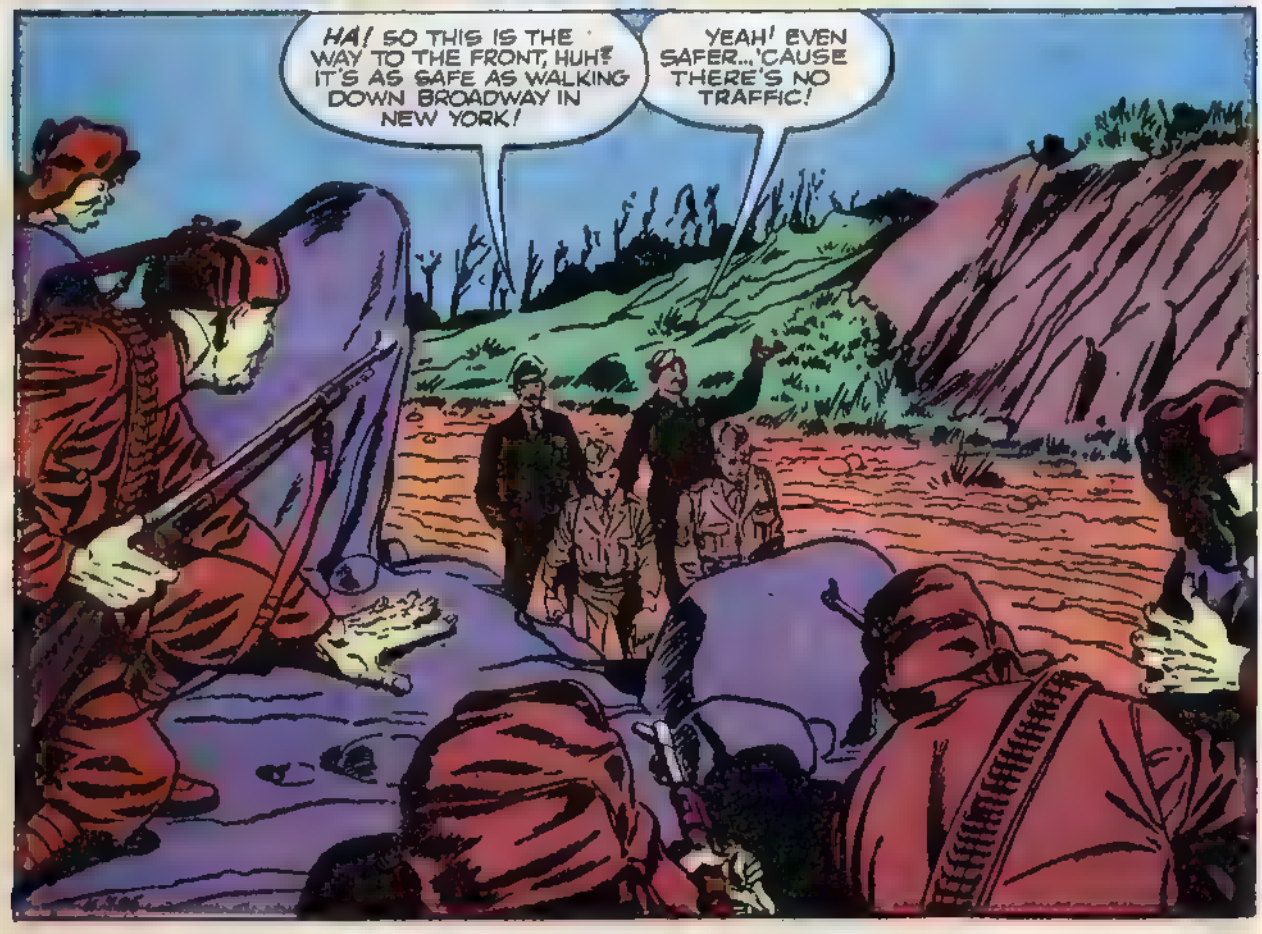

AW-W, YOU NAVY GOBS GOT A RACKET! YOU HAVE A SODA FOUNTAIN ABOARD SHIP, AN' YOU HAVE SHOWERS AN' MOVIES! YOU CALL THAT FIGHTING A WAR?
NEGATIVE! BUT WHEN THERE'S FIGHTING TO BE DONE, WE DO IT!


YOU GOB GUYS WOULDN'T LAST AN HOUR AT THE MLR*! AN' IF YOU THINK I'M WRONG, COME ON BACK WITH US! YOU'VE STILL GOT THREE DAYS' LEAVE!
AYE! WE'LL DO THAT, AND SHOW YOU ARMY MULES WE CAN DO ANYTHING YOU CAN DO, AND DO IT BETTER!
*MAIN LINE OF RESISTANCE!


HA! SO THIS IS THE WAY TO THE FRONT, HUH? IT'S AS SAFE AS WALKING DOWN BROADWAY IN NEW YORK!
YEAH! EVEN SAFER... 'CAUSE THERE'S NO TRAFFIC!

NOW, COMRADES! ATTACK!
COMMIE GUERRILLA AMBUSH!
SEIZE THEM! THEY DO NOT HAVE WEAPONS!
NO? WHAT DO YOU CALL THIS FISTFUL OF KNUCKLES?
AN' THIS!
COMPLIMENTS OF THE U.S. ARMY, COMMIE!
AND THIS IS WITH COMPLIMENTS OF THE U.S. NAVY!
RUN! THEY HAVE SOME OF OUR GUNS AND THEY FIGHT LIKE LIONS!
HEY, YOU KNOW WHAT? YOU TWO GUYS FIGHT PRETTY GOOD...FOR SAILORS!
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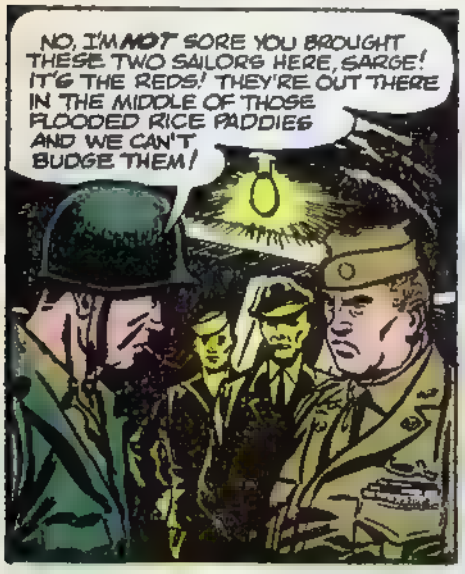
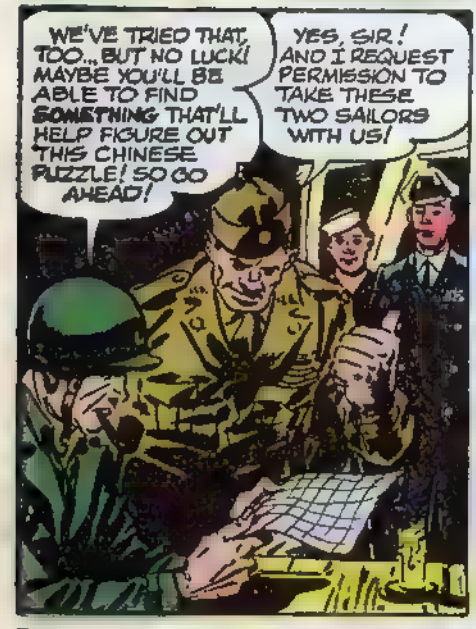
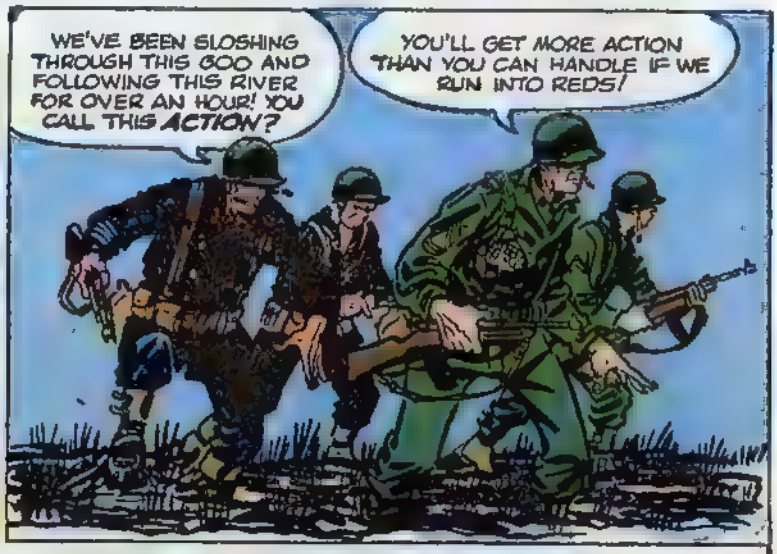
THERE WASN'T ANY MORE COMMIE TROUBLE ALL THE WAY TO THE FRONT! BUT WHEN THEY REACHED THE SARGE'S OUTFIT...

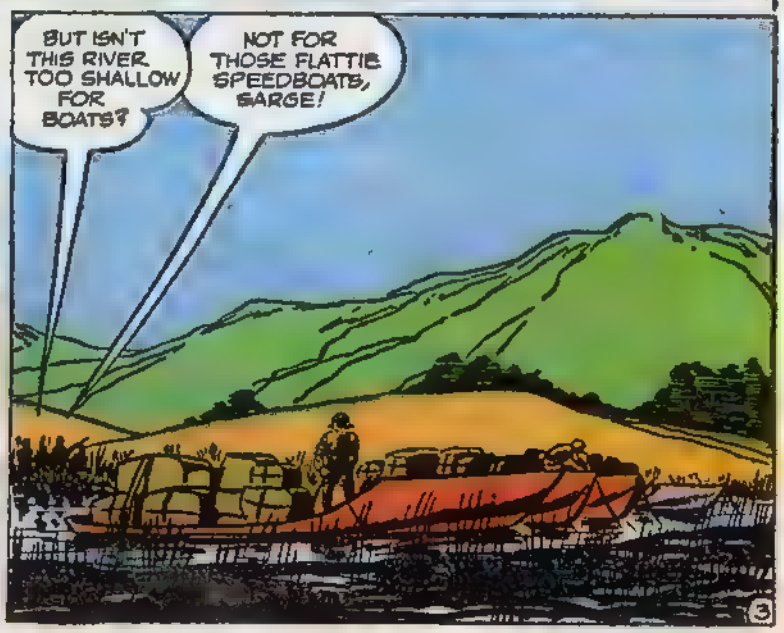

NO, I'M **NOT** SORE YOU BROUGHT THESE TWO SAILORS HERE, SARGE! IT'S THE REDS! THEY'RE OUT THERE IN THE MIDDLE OF THOSE FLOODED RICE PADDIES AND WE CAN'T BUDGE THEM!


WE'VE TRIED THAT, TOO... BUT NO LUCK! MAYBE YOU'LL BE ABLE TO FIND **SOMETHING** THAT'LL HELP FIGURE OUT THIS CHINESE PUZZLE! SO GO AHEAD!
YES, SIR! AND I REQUEST PERMISSION TO TAKE THESE TWO SAILORS WITH US!

PERMISSION GRANTED! SO BATTLESHIP BURKE AND SALTY SMITH WERE OUTFITTED WITH G.I. HELMETS, AMMO AND RIFLES, AND THEY WENT ON PATROL WITH THE SARGE AND BLINKY...

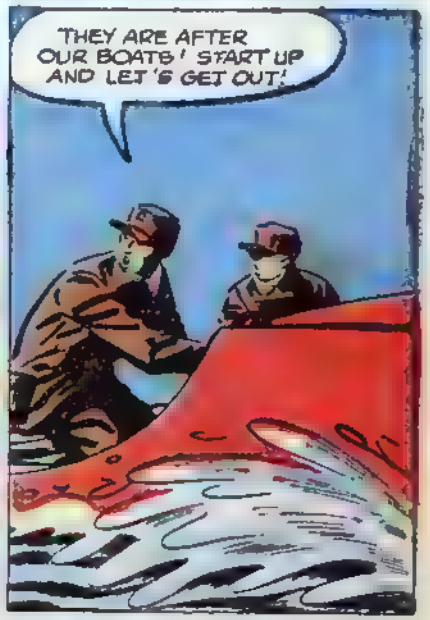

WE'VE BEEN SLOSHING THROUGH THIS GOO AND FOLLOWING THIS RIVER FOR OVER AN HOUR! YOU CALL THIS **ACTION**?
YOU'LL GET MORE ACTION THAN YOU CAN HANDLE IF WE RUN INTO REDS!

AND **LOOK**! THERE THEY ARE!
AYE! AND THERE'S THE ANSWER TO HOW THEY HAVE BEEN GETTING AMMO AND FOOD TO THE REDS IN THEIR RICE-PADDY POSITION!

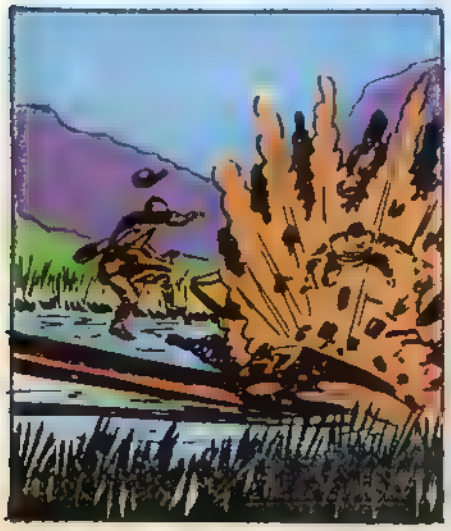


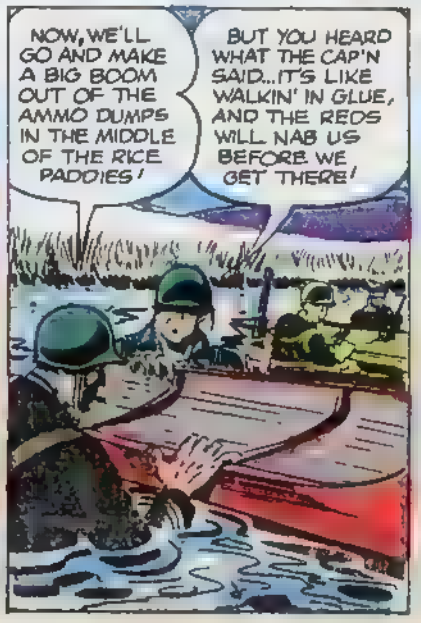
WHAT'RE WE WAITING FOR? LET'S NAIL 'EM!
NEGATIVE, SARGE! LOOK! A MOB OF RED INFANTRY FROM THE RICE-PADDY POSITION IS SLOSHING TO GET THE AMMO AND SUPPLIES! NO USE BATTLING ODDS LIKE THAT!

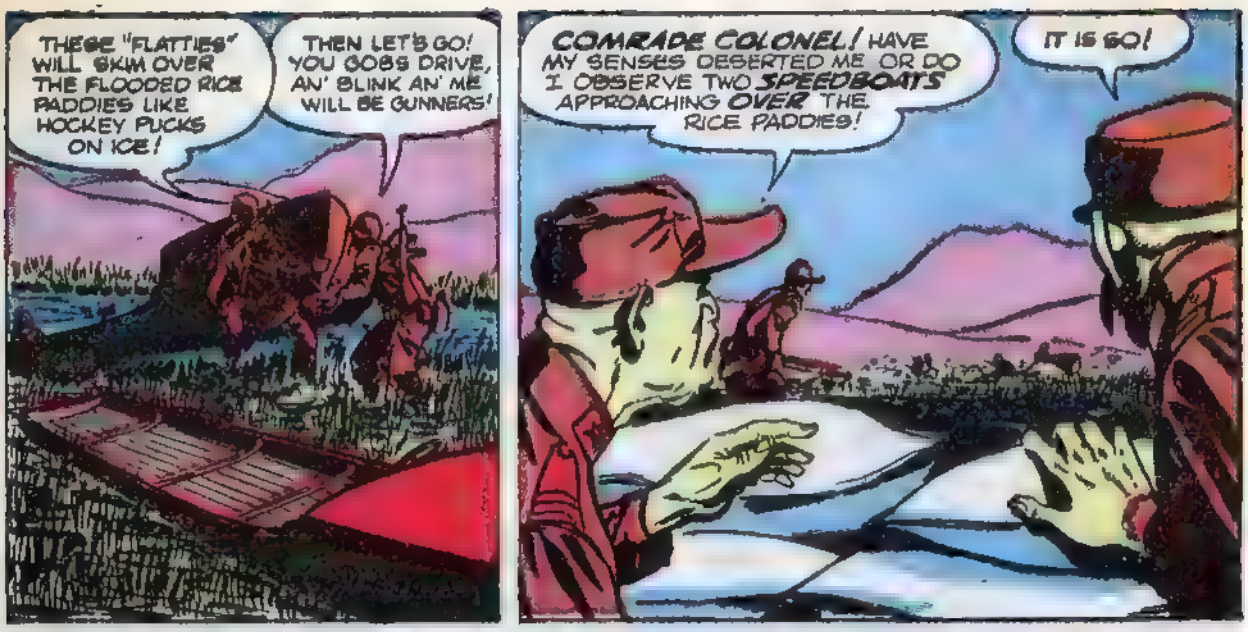
AS THE RED INFANTRYMEN DEPARTED WITH THE SUPPLIES, THE FOUR AMERICANS POPPED UP OUT OF THE WATER ALONGSIDE THE SPEEDBOATS..



BATTLESHIP AND SALTY GOT POSSESSION OF TWO OF THE COMMIE SPEEDBOATS, BUT THE OTHER TWO STARTED AWAY... AND RAMMED EACH OTHER..

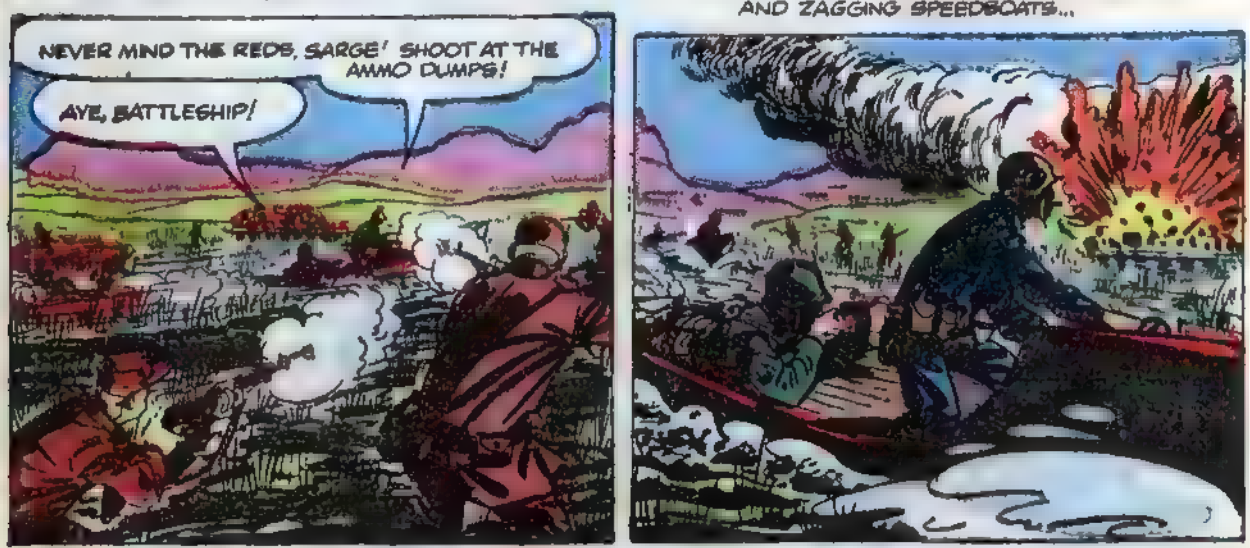



NOW, WE'LL GO AND MAKE A BIG BOOM OUT OF THE AMMO DUMPS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE RICE PADDIES!
BUT YOU HEARD WHAT THE CAP'N SAID...IT'S LIKE WALKIN' IN GLUE, AND THE REDS WILL NAB US BEFORE WE GET THERE!


THESE "FLATTIES" WILL SKIM OVER THE FLOODED RICE PADDIES LIKE HOCKEY PUCKS ON ICE!
THEN LET'S GO! YOU GOBS DRIVE, AN' BLINK AN' ME WILL BE GUNNERS!
COMRADE COLONEL! HAVE MY SENSES DESERTED ME OR DO I OBSERVE TWO SPEEDBOATS APPROACHING OVER THE RICE PADDIES!
IT IS SO!

BATTLESHIP BURKE AND SALTY SMITH WOVE THEIR SPEEDBOATS THROUGH THE COMMIE DEFENSES, WHILE THE SARGE AND BLINKY WENT INTO ACTION...

THE AMMO DUMPS SUDDENLY ERUPTED INTO PILLARS OF FIRE, AS THE TWO DOGGIES SLASHED INTO THE CRATES WITH THEIR TOMMY GUNS FROM THE ZIGGING AND ZAGGING SPEEDBOATS...



NOW THE ONLY AMMO THEY'VE GOT LEFT IS WHAT THEY'RE CARRYING! AND THEY WON'T BE GETTING ANY MORE 'CAUSE WE'VE GOT THEIR BOATS!
LET'S GET BACK AND TELL THE CAP'N HE CAN ATTACK AS SLOW AND EASY AS HE LIKES NOW!
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AFTER THEY REACHED THEIR OUTFIT, THE SARGE TOLD THE CAPTAIN EVERYTHING THAT HAD HAPPENED...

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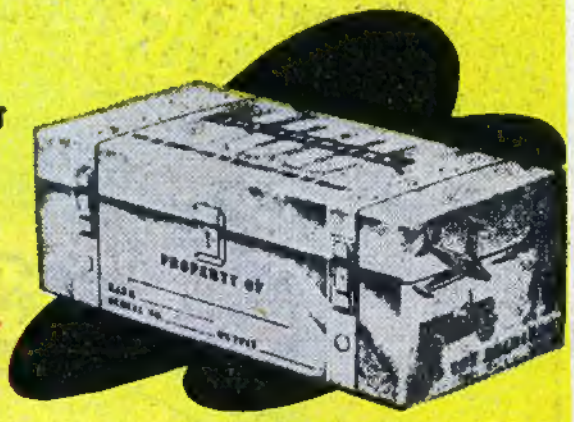

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